

By: Kolkhorst

S.B. No. 2229

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to directing Blinn College to transfer control and custody of the Washington-on-the-Brazos Museum Building and its contents to the Texas Historical Commission.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Blinn College is hereby directed to transfer control and custody of the Washington-on-the-Brazos Museum Building and its contents, known as the "Star of the Republic Museum," situated in the area acquired by the State of Texas under the provisions of Chapter 3 (H.B. 11), General Laws, Acts of the 34th Legislature, 1st Called Session, 1915, and known as Washington-on-the-Brazos State Park, to the Texas Historical Commission.

SECTION 2. It is the intent of the legislature that every provision, section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word in this Act, and every application of the provisions in this Act to each person or entity, are severable from each other. If any application of any provision in this Act to any person, group of persons, or circumstances is found by a court to be invalid for any reason, the remaining applications of that provision to all other persons and circumstances shall be severed and may not be affected.

SECTION 3. The transfer required by Section 1 of this Act shall take place not later than December 1, 2017.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.